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ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE

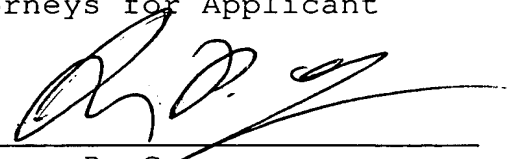
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Applicants hereby elect group II (claims 19-24, 26, 27, 60 and 61) with traverse. New main claim 68 is believed to be the drawn to the same invention as group II. If the Examiner disagrees, Applicants intent is to elect whichever group encompasses new claim 68. Traversal is on the ground that the oligomer of group II is patentable, and hence there is a single general inventive concept uniting the oligomer of group II and the methods of use of group V (claim 51). While claim 51 has been cancelled, it is replaced by new claim 92.

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